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Sprayed Substrates and Methods of  
Making Same

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

This paper is being submitted in response to the Office Action mailed on January 7, 2009, in the above-identified patent application. A response to the Office Action is due by April 7, 2009. Accordingly, this paper is being timely filed.

Applicants request entry of the following amendments to the claims. Upon entry, the claims pending for further proceedings will be those in the claim listing that begins at page 2 of this paper.

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